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Shibanuma et al.

Application No. 10/656,659

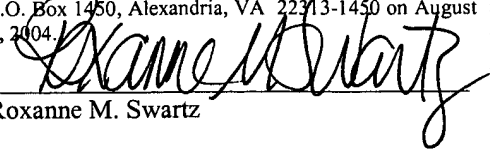
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**RESPONSE TO APRIL 14, 2004 OFFICE ACTION**

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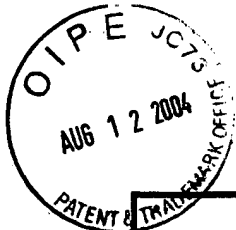
This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed April 14, 2004.

Applicants respectfully requests amendment of the patent application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.

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## ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

- ☒ Transmitted herewith is Response to April 14, 2004 Office Action.
- ☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- ☐ The amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(b) is included in the enclosed check.
- ☒ The enclosed credit card payment form to charge the amount of \$110.00 covers the extension fee.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-3140. **A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.**

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